

37 C.F.R. § 3.81(b), effective June 25, 2004, reads:

(b) After payment of the issue fee: Any request for issuance of an application in the name of the assignee submitted after the date of payment of the issue fee, and any request for a patent to be corrected to state the name of the assignee, must state that the assignment was submitted for recordation as set forth in 3.11 before issuance of the patent, and must include a request for a certificate of correction under 1.323 of this chapter (accompanied by the fee set forth in 1.20(a)) and the processing fee set forth in 1.17(i) of this chapter.

Petitioner has set forth that the assignment was submitted for recordation as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 3.11 before issuance of the patent, and Office records conform that an assignment was received in the Office on March 22, 2005.

Both the required \$130 processing fee and the required \$100 certificate of correction fee will be charged to Petitioner's Deposit Account in due course, as authorized on the second page of this petition.

The Certificates of Correction Branch will be notified of this decision so that the requested Certificate of Correction can be issued.

Telephone inquiries regarding *this decision* should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3225.² Any questions concerning the issuance of a certificate of correction should be directed to the Certificates of Correction Branch at (703) 305-8309.

It is noted in passing that the zip code listed on the petition differs from that of the address of record, and that in a telephonic discussion on May 7, 2009, Petitioner confirmed that the official address of record is the correct address.

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² Petitioner will note that all practice before the Office should be in writing, and the action of the Office will be based exclusively on the written record in the Office. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.2. As such, Petitioner is reminded that no telephone discussion may be controlling or considered authority for any of Petitioner's further action(s).